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Title: ANAEROBIC BACTERIUM AS A DRUG FOR CANCER GENE THERAPY

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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7. [] CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or computer

program (Appendix)

8. [X] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

a. [X] Computer Readable Form

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. [] CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or

ii. [] Paper

c. [] Statement verifying identity of above copies

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. [X] Fee Transmittal Form

(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. [] Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

3. [X] Specification

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- Descriptive title of the Invention
- **Cross References to Related Applications**
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Sequence Listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix.
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- **Detailed Description**
- Claim(s)

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Abstract of the Disclosure

Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)

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a.2. [X] Unexecuted

- [] Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

[] Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) Il Power of Attorney
- English Translation Document (if applicable) 11. []
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 12. [] [] Copies of IDS Citations
- **Preliminary Amendment** 13. []
- 14. [X] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
- Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) 15. [] (if foreign priority is claimed)
- 16. [] Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
- 17. [X] Other Claim of Priority with 1 certified priority document

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- [] Continuation
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